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Applicant(s): Lu et al.
Serial No.: 10/040,242
For: TOPICAL COMPOSITION HAVING UNDIFFERENTIATED
PLANT SEED CELLS AND METHOD FOR USING SAME
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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for extension of time for a total period of three (3) months.
Based on the extension requested, the extended period for response will expire on
January 15, 2004.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of **\$950.00** or credit
any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **01-0467**. A duplicate copy of this Request is
enclosed.

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Date: January 15, 2004

Respectfully submitted,

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